

and everything and I think Mrs. Stevens has been trying to see if there is a record of it at the time, a record there.

BY MR. HALZER:

Q These telegrams that were not typewritten, but usually in the handwriting of the agent, is that right?

A They were in the handwriting of the agent; indeed they were. There was no typewriting. We have both those telegrams. Of course I was shocked and couldn't imagine what had happened and said "My, it must have been an automobile accident", couldn't think of anything else at the time at all.

Q Did you say that, Mr. Stevens, to Eger?

A Yes; Eger heard me say that "Must have been an automobile accident." He heard me say that and we immediately went up to the house, both of us. I looked at the time table and found that I could get a train for New Brunswick about 4.30 daylight saving time. I cleaned up, changed my clothes, put a few things in a grip, made arrangements with Mr. Eger to spend the nights at our house until either Mrs. Stevens or I or some of the family should return. Eger agreed and said he would bring over his own bed linen and he slept in the couch in the lower room that I have as a kind of office or den or whatever you care to call it. I gave him one of the keys to the back door to go in and out.